

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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L. H. S. J.  
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**In re the application of:** Andrea Dessen *et al.*

**Serial No.:** 09/250,083

**Filed:** February 15, 1999

**For:** *Crystal Structure of cPLA2 and Methods  
of Identifying Agonists and Antagonists  
Using Same*

**Attorney Docket No.:** GFN-5341

**Group Art Unit:** 1652

**Examiner:** Nashaat Nashed

**Via Hand Delivery**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY  
WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING  
NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES**

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

**In The Specification:**

Please replace pages 2-56 of the specification with the substitute specification, pages 1-61, provided herewith.

**Request for Substitute Specification Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.125(a)**

Applicants submit herewith a substitute specification under 37 CFR 1.125(a). This substitute specification contains only the subject matter from the original specification. References to the Sequence Listing, filed herewith, have been inserted throughout the specification. In addition, the title of the application has been inserted on the first page of the specification and the pages have been renumbered. No new matter has been added to the Specification.